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AFFRIGHTED

Members of Louisville Ministerial Association Much Alarmed.

Columbus Day Bill Starts Their Very Awful Scare.

Discovery of America Too Remote to Be of Interest in Kentucky.

PROTEST SENT TO LEGISLATURE

In this city there is an association of ministers of various dissenting faiths who have banded together in an organization called the Louisville Ministerial Association. In matters of faith the followers of Calvin disagree with Luther's adherents; nor can either agree with the doctrine of John Wesley or Alexander Campbell. But Presbyterians, Lutherans, Methodists, Baptists and Campbellites all agree in being frightened at the word Catholic. These Louisville preachers give vent to their affright this week by appealing to the Legislature. They are afraid of Columbus day!

WORKING HARD

Parish Societies Promise to Make Bazaar a Success.

The committee arranging for the bazaar at St. Cecilia's church at Mackin Council's club house April 4 to 11 is rapidly getting down to hard work. The various societies taking part have gone to work in earnest and are trying to outdo each other in striving to make the affair a success. The combination book with its sixteen handsome prizes is proving a very good seller.

Whereas, A bill—Senate Bill No. 9—has passed the Senate of the Kentucky Legislature and has been reported favorably in the House, designating October 12 of each year as a legal holiday, to be known as Columbus day; and since it is a bill promoted by the Catholic Knights of Columbus, and obviously in the sole interest of that society; therefore be it

Resolved—First, That the Louisville Ministerial Association earnestly protests against the passage and enactment of the pending measure for the following reasons: (1) It is in violation of the letter and spirit of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Kentucky. The Bill of Rights, in Section 5, says: "No preference shall ever be given to any religious sect, society or denomination." No human authority shall in any case whatever control or interfere with the rights of conscience.

The Columbus day bill proposes to give to the society known as the Knights of Columbus the advantage and preference of establishing a legal holiday upon the day especially associated with the work and purposes of that society. It is a religious society in that its membership is confined to those who are affiliated with the Catholic church. Its life and influence are as directly and inevitably connected with the life and welfare of the Catholic church as the various brotherhoods of other churches are with those denominations.

Second—It would establish a dangerous precedent. There are hundreds of thousands of citizens in Kentucky who believe that the blessings which we enjoy in this Commonwealth are more directly due to the labors of men like Martin Luther and John Calvin than to Christopher Columbus. Such citizens could claim that there would be more propriety in setting apart days for the annual memorial of their services. Such a principle is odious, whether it operates toward securing a Columbus day, a Luther day, a Wesley day or a Calvin day; and it is the conviction of this association that the proposed legislation will be equally odious to the officials of the Catholic church.

Third—It is uncalled for. The historical connection between Columbus and Kentucky is so remote that it falls far short of justifying the setting apart of a whole day each year, including the stoppage of business, as a recognition of it.

Fourth—This Columbus day measure is peculiarly significant when viewed in connection with House Bill No. 317, which is "An act to prohibit labor on the Fourth of July, the twenty-fifth of December, and Thanksgiving day, and providing a penalty therefor." That bill in effect imparts to these legal holidays the element of sanctity, which makes ordinary toll an offense punishable with a fine of from \$2 to \$50.

The Columbus day bill provides that October 12 shall be known as Columbus day, and the same shall be recognized, classed and treated as other legal holidays under the laws of this State. By taking these two bills, now pending, together there is provision for a violation of the rights of conscience, and of the Bill of Rights of the Commonwealth of Kentucky in forcing citizens to abstain from their avocations on July 4, December 25 and Thanksgiving day irrespective of those dates falling upon Sunday; and all forcing all citizens, by like suspension of their work, to observe Columbus day, on October 12, which is to all effects and purposes a Roman Catholic holiday.

What silly twaddle is all this? There is not the remotest connection between the celebration of Columbus day and the Catholic church. True it is that an organization of Catholic gentlemen, calling themselves Knights of Columbus, are patriotic Americans. They allow no man nor set of men to do or dare more for the preservation of Ameri-

can rights than they. Many of the older ones fought in the civil war. Some fought for the Stars and Stripes while others followed Lee, Beauregard and Pat Cleburne. There are other Knights of Columbus who were with Dewey at Manila, with Schley at Santiago and with Roosevelt at San Juan Hill.

Are Kentucky legislators to be influenced by a lot of ignorant stay-at-home preachers, whose cry is: "The historical connection between Columbus and Kentucky is so remote that it falls far short of justifying the setting apart for a whole day each year, including the stoppage of business, in connection with it."

Remote, eh! Refuse to honor the memory of the man who discovered America because the day is far distant. By the same line of argument these preachers might conclude that it was useless to honor God because He made Kentucky so long ago.

The Columbus day bill is not at all in conflict with the Bill of Rights, and nowhere does it call for any religious observance of the day.

The protest is another outcropping of that anti-Catholic spirit that has appeared in Kentucky from time to time under the guise of Knownothingism, the Elephants and the A. P. A.'s. Some of the ministers are getting too patriotic and are jealous. Meanwhile the Catholic church will keep on doing business whether Columbus day is celebrated or not.

UNDERSTAND KENTUCKY PEOPLE

The Right Rev. Denis O'Donaghue, titular Bishop of Pomaria and Auxiliary Bishop of Indianapolis, has been appointed Bishop of Louisville; so says a cable message to the Associated Press. The intelligence came on Ash Wednesday morning and, while not official, there is little chance to doubt its authenticity. The appointment of Bishop O'Donaghue pleases priests and people, because the historic diocese of Louisville is no longer without a shepherd and because the coming prelate is known and honored in Kentucky. In this diocese he made his preliminary studies for the priesthood, and while here he learned to know and honor Kentucky manhood and womanhood.

The Associated Press message that brought the news on Wednesday read as follows:

Rome, Feb. 9.—The following appointments proposed by Cardinal de Lai, Secretary of the Consistorial Congregation, were ratified by the Pope today:

Rev. John J. Lawler, to be Auxiliary Bishop of St. Paul, Minn.; Rev. J. W. Shaw, of Mobile, Ala., to be Coadjutor Bishop of San Antonio, Texas; Right Rev. Denis O'Donaghue, Auxiliary Bishop of Indianapolis, to be Bishop of Louisville, Ky.

Thus Lent begins with three new American Bishops. To each of them it will be more than an ordinary Lent—each must prepare for new and arduous duties.

Bishop O'Donaghue was born in Daviess County, Indiana, on November 30, 1848. His father, James O'Donaghue, was a native of the County Cork, Ireland, and in 1839 was connected with the Land Office in Vincennes. Denis was next to the youngest of a large family. Five of his sisters entered religious orders, and one brother became a priest. The parents brought the faith from the land of saints, their children inherited it, and there is little wonder that one son has become a Bishop.

The Bishop of Louisville that was to be was born on a farm. He was sent to school when only five years old and pursued his studies in schools, colleges and seminaries until his ordination. And yet that is hardly proper, because he has been a student of men and affairs ever since. After his preliminary education in Daviess county he attended St. Meinrad's College. Later he came to Kentucky and made his preliminary studies for the priesthood at St. Joseph's College at Bardstown. After that he went to the Grand Seminary at Montreal, Canada, where he graduated and was soon ordained. For thirty-five years he has served either as priest or Bishop in Indiana. He visited Europe in 1880 and 1887, but has never been long away from his native State. On numerous occasions he has visited Louisville to officiate at the consecration of churches and to administer the sacrament of confirmation. His last visit to Louisville was on September 21, when he preached the funeral sermon of the late Right Rev. Bishop McCloskey.

When he will come to Louisville to be enthroned is not definitely known, but in all probability that ceremony will not take place before Easter. When he does come he will be welcomed by both priests and laymen and all will pray that he will live up to the spiritual standard of his illustrious predecessors.

For nearly ten years the Right Rev. Dr. O'Donaghue has been auxiliary to Bishop Chatard of Indianapolis. There he is regarded as a man of splendid attainments and has always taken a prominent part in civic affairs. His coming to Louisville is awaited with interest by people of all creeds.

POPE'S HEALTH GOOD.

An American correspondent who recently had the privilege of seeing His Holiness Pius X writes that he is glad to be able to say that the stories concerning his failing health, which have been current from time to time, are greatly exaggerated. The Pope suffers somewhat from rheumatism at times, but his appearance shows that he is unusually vigorous for a man of his age. He is bright and cheerful, takes a keen interest in affairs, and so far as looks go has a long life before him.

HAPPY UNION.

There was a pretty wedding Tuesday afternoon at the Cathedral, the contracting parties being Will G. Constantine, of Jeffersonville, and Miss Margaret E. Goering, of this city. The bride looked charming in a traveling suit, carrying a bouquet of bride's roses. She was attended by Miss Louise Gilhooly, who also carried roses, and John G. Cole attended the bridegroom as best man. The knot was tied by the Rev. Father Rock, pastor of the Cathedral. After the ceremony the party

NEW PRELATE.

Right Rev. Denis O'Donaghue Will Come to Our Vavant See.

Louisville Will Welcome the Successor to This Old Diocese.

Churchman of Scholarly Attainments Honored by the Holy Father.

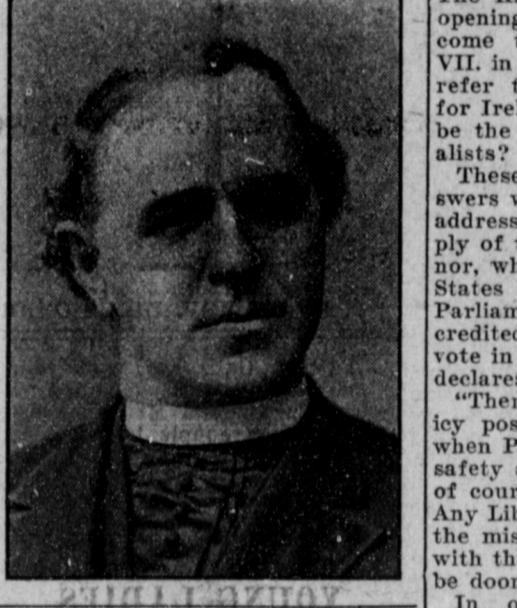
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repaired to the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Gavigan, 119 West Shipp street, where the wedding supper was served. The bride is an accomplished and attractive young lady and very popular in the southern section of the city, while the groom, formerly Deputy Sheriff of Clark county and now with the American Car and Foundry Company, is one of the best known and most popular young men in Jeffersonville. A large number of friends witnessed the ceremony and Mr. and Mrs. Constantine were the recipients of many handsome presents. They are now at their new and cosy home, 516 West Market street, Jeffersonville.

COMING HOME.

Reverend Pastor of Holy Cross Parish Restored to Health.

The Rev. Father John Sheridan, pastor of Holy Cross church, who has been recuperating at West Baden



Spring is expected to return to Louisville today. He was accompanied to the health resort by his niece, Miss Mary C. Sheridan. His parishioners will be glad to see him home and hope that he is fully restored to health.

Holy Cross parish is growing faster than any parish in Louisville, and the work would tax the strength of many younger men. Father Sheridan is indefatigable in his work, but his labors are increasing beyond all expectations.

TENDERED SURPRISE.

M. J. Bannon Greeted by Friends on His Birthday.

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Mrs. M. J. Bannon, of 2309 Rowan street, entertained Monday evening in honor of her husband's forty-eighth birthday. Mr. Bannon was taken completely by surprise, but expressed his gratitude at the many congratulations offered. Six tables were kept going at 500.

An appetizing luncheon was served and the evening proved a most enjoyable one. Mr. Bannon is head of the Bannon Sewer Pipe Company and the Kentucky Vitrified Brick Company. The guests were Messrs. and Mesdames Andrew Kast, Charles Dierf, J. B. Campbell, D. E. Kerwin, Ben Schleman, Sherman Amshoff, Charles Brotzky, Frank Wessel, Lou Lavelle and Miss Carrie Weber.

RECENT DEATHS.

Mrs. Martin Spellman, a well and favorably known matron of New Albany, died at her home in that city on Tuesday afternoon, and her funeral, which was largely attended, took place from Holy Trinity church yesterday morning. The deceased was fifty-eight years old and was well beloved in New Albany.

Many relatives and friends attended the funeral of Mrs. Mrs. Burkhart, who died at her home, 938 East Madison street, on Friday of last week. The deceased is survived by her husband, Andrew Burkhart, and one daughter, Mrs. Bernard Cunniff. The funeral services were held at St. John's church last Sunday afternoon.

The funeral of Miss Freda Silberg, who died at her family residence, 2015 West Chestnut street, on Saturday afternoon, took place from St. Charles Borromeo's church on Monday morning. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Silberg and was very popular in Catholic social circles. The bereaved parents have the sympathy of many friends in their grief.

INDIANAPOLIS.

Through the efforts of the Hibernian Ladies' Auxiliary of Indianapolis over 400 ladies met at the K. of C. hall there and heard plans discussed for the formation of a Catholic women's association. The project was first suggested by the auxiliary about a year ago, and will undertake the good work of establishing a central meeting place, rest room and lunch room for the Catholic working girls of Indianapolis. A temporary organization was formed with Mrs. John M. Taylor, County President, in the chair and Miss Ella Hallinan as Secretary.

JOLLY TARS MADE HAPPY.

The St. Vincent de Paul Society of New Orleans recently entertained over 500 sailors at the St. Vincent Haven. Seamen of all nationalities sat down to dinner, among them Portuguese blacks from South Africa.

NO QUARTER.

Time for Dallying Is Past Says Redmond's Chief Aide.

T. P. O'Connor Declares Premier Must Act or Get Out.

Much Depends on King Edward and Reply to the Throne.

ASQUITH IS IN DEEP WATER

born in Ireland seventy-six years ago, but had lived in Louisville more than fifty years. More than thirty years he was a blacksmith in the employ of the Louisville & Nashville railroad. He is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Mary Donnelly, of 1614 West Chestnut street, and Mrs. Nellie Driscoll, of Jeffersonville. Major Tim Lehan, Chief of the Louisville Fire department, and John J. Flynn, Master Mechanic of the L. and N. at Memphis, are his nephews. The remains were removed to Dougherty & Elliott's funeral parlors on West Market street, where they reposed until the funeral, which took place from Sacred Heart church yesterday morning.

BELLEVUE CHOSEN

As Next Place of Meeting for Y. M. I. Grand Council.

IS PREPARED TO SAY MORE

ATTITUDE
Of Vatican in the Fairbanks Incident Explained and Defended.

Archbishop Ireland Tells Why the Pope Refused an Audience.

Methodist Organization Is Accused of Most Pernicious Activity.

IS PREPARED TO SAY MORE

Former Vice President Fairbanks was in Rome this week, and prior to his coming it had been arranged for the distinguished American to be received in audience by Pope Pius X. It developed later that Mr. Fairbanks was to address a gathering of Methodists in Rome on the same day. As a result the Vatican cancelled the arrangements made for the audience. This has caused an international religious stir and created so much comment that the Most Rev. John Ireland, Archbishop of St. Paul, gave out the following statement in defense of the church authorities last Tuesday:

"People in America may easily misapprehend the circumstances in Rome which led the Vatican to refuse an audience with the Holy Father to Mr. Charles W. Fairbanks after he, a former Vice President of the United States, would have made a public address before the Methodist Association of that city. Most likely Mr. Fairbanks himself did not fully realize the meaning which Romans would attribute to his address."

"It was not a question of Mr. Fairbanks being a Methodist or going to a Methodist church in Rome for Sunday devotions. It was a question of appearing to give the fullest approval to the work of the Methodist Association in Rome. American Methodists in Rome are active and—I may readily say—pernicious proselyters. The Methodist Association is not in Rome to serve and meet American Methodists, but to pervert from the Catholic faith all those upon whom they can bring influence to bear.

"I was in Rome last winter and I made a very particular study of this Methodist propaganda. It has gone so far that Catholics have organized the Society for the Preservation of the Faith to fight against it.

"The purpose of the work of the Methodist Association in Rome is confessedly open. The means employed are by no means honorable. They take every advantage of the poverty of the poor of Rome. The books circulated and displayed in the windows of their book stores are slanders against the Catholic faith, the Holy Pontiff at Rome and misrepresentation of the whole Catholic system.

"The success of the movement is far from adequate to the efforts put forth and the money expended. They don't make permanent Methodists—Italian Catholics. They may possibly detach pupils from the Catholic church, and this means from all Christian things for Italians.

"Now a public address by a former Vice President of the United States before the Methodist Association can have no other meaning in the eyes of the Roman public than the approval of the Roman public than the propaganda of the Methodist Association. Had the Holy Father, guardian of the spiritual interests of the Catholic church of the world, smilingly welcomed Mr. Fairbanks to an audience on the following day, in what other position would he appear to be than giving his approval to the propaganda of the Methodist Association, before which the address had been given?

"It was simply impossible for the Holy Father, in his official position as a sovereign pontiff of the Catholic church, to do ought else than to say politely to Mr. Fairbanks, 'I can not receive you and accord you the honors due you in all other circumstances as an American and a distinguished representative of a great republic.'

"I repeat that I am most willing to believe Mr. Fairbanks did not catch up the full meaning, in the eyes of the Roman people, of the address he was to make to the Methodist Association.

"One arm of combat which those Methodists employ in Rome, as I know from personal observation, is to create the impression that Methodism is the great faith of the American republic and that the Catholic church is merely an Italian institution.

"There are in Rome Protestant American churches for the benefit of Americans that put forth legitimate efforts, mind their own business and make no war on the Catholic church. What I have said of the Methodists in Rome does not apply to the other churches there. I have in mind the Protestant Episcopal chapel on the Via Nazionale and its former rector, Dr. Nevin, a man whom I was pleased to call a friend and whom I was always glad to meet.

"I shall leave for New York tomorrow and I shall be pleased to answer the Methodists here in the East, at any time. I can not make it too plain that I am not attacking the entire Methodist church, but merely the Methodist Association in Rome. I am not too old to enjoy fight when the occasion requires.

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WILL BE WELCOMED.

Every Catholic in Kentucky is pleased to hear of the appointment of the Right Rev. Denis O'Donaghue as Bishop of Louisville. For awhile he sojourned in Kentucky and drank of its fount of knowledge. All his life he has been a neighbor of ours. He is learned, democratic and thoughtful. It is too bad to rob Indiana of such a good prelate and citizen, but the diocese of Louisville needs him.

It is the hope and prayer of our Catholic people that Bishop O'Donaghue will be another star in the galaxy of prelates that have shed a halo over this diocese. There is little doubt that he will be as saintly as Benedict Flaget, as democratic as Martin John Spalding and as prudent as William George McCloskey.

MISREPRESENTED.

Recently information has come to the Department of Agriculture that certain of its publications have been misquoted by several land companies interested in selling lands. A striking example is the instance in which the Forest Service is misrepresented as saying that California will in a few years be the only source of hardwood supply in the United States. Such a statement has never been made by the Forest Service publications and is not considered a fact. Secretary Wilson has wisely concluded not to allow the use of the name of his department as a means of victimizing the public, and in future any concern which attributes to the Forest Service false or unauthorized statements may expect the same to be publicly disavowed.

ATTENTION, TAXPAYERS.

Last week the Kentucky Irish American, in behalf of the people, entered a protest against the present system of pensioning policemen and firemen. It also protested against the proposition to pay members of the General Council for their services. These protests have met with the approval of the taxpayers. In fact it is doubtful if any measure ever advocated by this paper met with such general approval.

REASON IN PROTEST.

As was said last week, the taxpayers do not object to pensioning men who have been disabled in the performance of duty, but they seriously object to the inequality of the present pension system. Some are drawing \$125 a month, while others are drawing in the neighborhood of \$35. In both classes faithful servants of the city may be found, but why not equalize the pensions? At the way things are going the entire pension fund will soon be wiped out. A little care, a little judgment, will result in a better system and the matter should be considered by the proper authorities at once.

There are policemen and firemen pensioners who are landlords. Their only exercise is to collect their rents, or perhaps to put a picket on a fence or a hinge on one of their own doors. Why should those men be pensioned at all? The pension system was not created for the well-to-do, but to care for the afflicted members of the departments or their dependent families. An immediate and radical change is necessary.

Now as to the General Council and the proposition of its members to vote themselves a salary: The Kentucky Irish American said last week that they wanted \$10 a man per meeting or in all \$10,000 a year. That was a mistake. They were not so modest. What they wanted was \$500 a year each or an aggregate of \$18,000 a year. After the expose of the Kentucky Irish American the members themselves saw how ridiculous the idea was, and the proposed trip to Frankfort on Monday was abandoned.

Those twelve Aldermen and twenty-four Councilmen were elected by people to serve as unsalaried

many churches there was scarcely standing room at the evening service. This shows the true Catholic spirit.

Portland people want a branch library and they ought to have it. The people of that section are as thrifty and as ambitious for learning as those of any other section. Give Portland its library.

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SOCIETY.

Miss Mamie Dorsey will return from Winchester next week.

Miss Elizabeth Quigley is visiting Miss Eleonora Watson at Simpsonville.

The Misses Neville have as their guest Miss Margaret Bell, of Simpsville.

Mrs. J. A. Wathen, of the Highlands, is visiting Mrs. R. B. Roby, of Lebanon.

Miss Emma Dunn, of Chicago, is the guest of Mrs. Charles Gray, of Deer Park.

E. L. McDonald, of Beechmont, has as her guest Miss Anna McDonald, of West Virginia.

Miss Anna Cooper has returned from Springfield, where she visited Miss Margaret Hagan.

Mrs. H. J. Martin, of New Albany, has as her guest Miss Harriet Reilly, of Bedford, Ind.

Miss Emma Dunn of Chicago, has been the guest of Mrs. Charles Gray on the Bardstown road.

Mrs. Thomas Horrigan, of 808 East Market street, New Albany, is visiting relatives in New York.

Mrs. James A. Wathen, of the Highlands, left Saturday for Lebanon to visit Mrs. R. B. Roby.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hagan, of Crescent Hill, will soon leave for Spokane, Wash., to locate permanently.

Mrs. Katherine Culley and Miss Ellen Culley, of Seymour, Ind., have been the guests of Mrs. Jackson, of Clifton.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Shea, who were the guests of Mrs. McCloskey in Clifton, have returned to their home at Maysville.

Misses Mary and Nora Bresnahan, of Boston, are visiting Mrs. Anna Henderson at her home, 830 East Walnut street.

Misses Eilee Maddox, Celia Mullin, Edna Humbert and Anna Moner, all of Clifton, have gone to New York to remain until spring.

James W. Conors, the well known building contractor, has returned from Seattle, Wash., and expects to re-engage in business here.

Miss Clara Mae Mallette, of LaFayette, Ark., is spending a few weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James R. Reid, 642 South Fifth street.

Mr. and Mrs. William Lambert, of Parkland, who went to New Orleans to attend the Mardi Gras festivities, are expected home next week.

Misses Celia Mullen and Edna Humert, of Clifton, were among those from this city spending the week in New York City and the East.

Little Miss Henrietta Hudson, of Elizabethtown, has been enjoying a delightful visit with her aunt, Mrs. Roy Neighbors, in South Louisville.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Campbell, Misses Flora Hoffstatter and Miss Helen Deutsch, all of Portland, are expected home from New Orleans next week.

Nick Wittry and Mrs. Mary L. Miller were united in marriage at St. Mary's church on Tuesday afternoon. The Rev. Father B. H. Western performed the ceremony.

Leo J. Eberhardt, of Thirty-fourth and Kentucky, is receiving the glad hand and congratulations from his friends over the arrival of a fine son, who will be christened tomorrow.

William R. Martin and bride, formerly Miss Julia Halloran, of Clifton, are expected to return from their honeymoon next week, and will begin housekeeping at 162 Vernon avenue.

Miss Lillian Weaver, of 2115 Portland avenue, and one of the most popular girls in the West End, who submitted to a serious surgical operation at St. Joseph's Infirmary last week, is much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Raper, who were married at St. Boniface church last week, are spending their honeymoon in the East. After February 22 they will be at home to their friends at 1615 Beechwood avenue.

Suffering from a complication of diseases, Patrick McGrody, a well known resident of Jeffersonville, was removed Monday from his home to the Mercy Hospital, where his condition is somewhat improved.

President William H. Taft has signified his intention to be in Chicago on March 17, and has directed that plans be made for a monster conservation meeting on that occasion. It is a safe bet that the Chief Executive of the United States will have to address a mass meeting of Hibernians before the day is over.

Timothy D. Sullivan, the former New York State Senator and at present Tammany leader, followed his usual custom last Sunday by distributing 5,000 pairs of shoes to the poor and needy of the Bowery. Small wonder that "Big Tim" is a political success.

The clergy of Louisville are justly proud of the attendance at the various churches on Ash Wednesday. In

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TAKING HOLD.

Cecilian Choral Club is at Work on New Opera.

Rehearsals are under way for the Cecilian Choral Club's annual production, and judging from the large number of pretty girls and talented young men that are attending the club will be justified in advertising a beauty chorus. "The Pirates of Penzance," which will be the offer-

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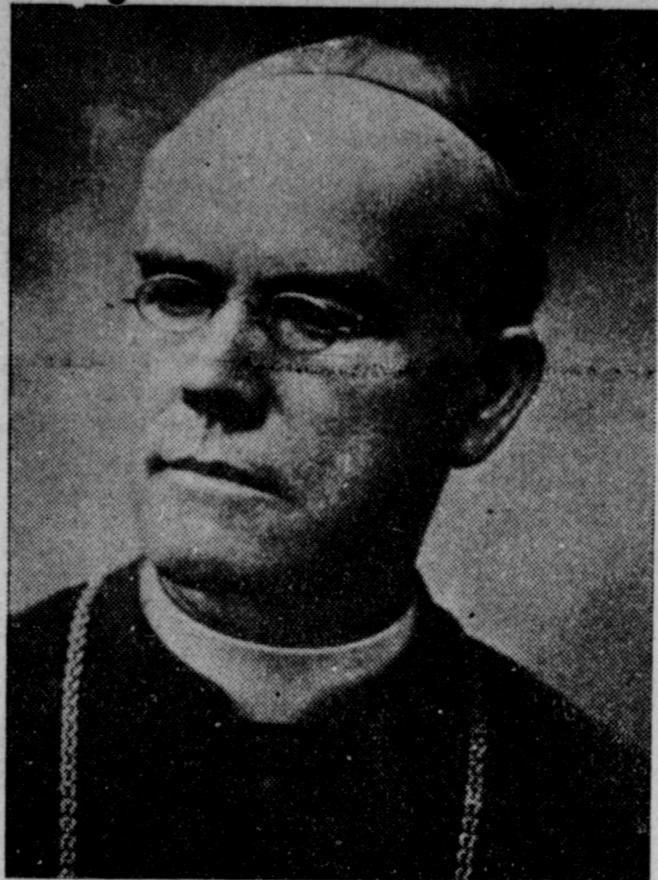
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RIGHT REV. DENIS O'DONAGHUE, OUR NEW BISHOP.

Rev. Father Gallagher performing the ceremony. Accompanied by Thomas Eurton and Miss Cloe Eurton the happy couple left for New Orleans, where they are spending their honeymoon. Upon their return the bride and groom will reside with Mrs. Ellen Eurton at 1620 East Spring street.

YOUNG LADIES

Will Assist Mackin Council at Its Bazaar Booth.

The members of Mackin Council are working hard for the success of St. Cecilia's church bazaar, which will take place at the club house the first week in April, and with the assistance of a large number of their lady friends promise to have a very attractive booth. Numerous articles have been donated and many combination books have been distributed, and it is intended to introduce many novel and entertaining features.

Chairman Frank Lanahan has called a meeting of Mackin's members and their lady friends for next Wednesday evening at the club house, and extends a hearty invitation to all young lady friends of Mackin to be present. The young men in charge of Mackin's booth are hustlers and promise to give a good account of themselves by turning over to Rev. Father Brady a hand-some sum for the new church fund.

HIGHER HONORS

Predicted for Rector of American College at Rome.

According to press dispatches it is believed in high church circles in Rome that additional honors are in store for Monsignor Kennedy, Rector of the American College. Since the death of Cardinal Satolli, who was the Pope's advisor on American affairs, the Holy Father has shown a marked disposition to consult with Monsignor Kennedy when matters concerning the church in America are under consideration. This perhaps is the basis for the belief that the American prelate is destined for high honors.

DIED WELL BELOVED.

Mrs. Nora V. Duffy, one of Jeffersonville's most venerable and esteemed matrons, died at her country home near that city on Sunday morning. She was the widow of Capt. James T. Duffy, the coal merchant, who died in 1905. Despite her numerous charities Mrs. Duffy was considered at the time of her death as one of the wealthiest women in Indiana. Three sons, James H., John T. and J. T. Duffy, all of Jeffersonville, and three daughters, Mrs. Nora C. Hancock, Mrs. Margaret Wathen and Mrs. Letta Shropshire, survive her. The funeral took place from St. Augustine's church on Wednesday morning and the remains were interred beside those of her husband, Capt. James T. Duffy, in St. Louis cemetery, Louisville.

NEW ALUMNAE CLUB.

Former pupils of Holy Rosary Academy have organized an alumnae association and last Tuesday evening these ladies were given a banquet by the Dominican Sisters at the academy, 410 West Ormsby avenue. Mrs. Margaret Feighan presided as toastmistress, and toasts were responded to by Mrs. Minnie Parsons, Misses Catherine Morurst, Anastasia Walsh and Evelyn O'Reilly.

POPE PLUS MAY JOIN.

When the American pilgrimage of the Knights of Columbus reaches New Albany, were united in marriage at St. Mary's church in that city on Tuesday. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Father Borries. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Garing went to St. Mary's, Ohio, on a bridal tour.

TODAY IN HISTORY.

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What They Have Been Doing
the Past Week—General
News Notes.

The regular meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary will be held Wednesday night at Falls City Hall.

Fifty members of Division 1 of Lynn, Mass., visited a recent meeting of Division 1 of Charlestown.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of Indianapolis observed the feast of St. Bridget with a splendid gathering at Morrison Hall.

Division 2 has elected William T. Meehan to the Secretariate, and thus sends another able representative to the County Board.

Solemn high mass at St. Brigid's church was the opening feature of the celebration of the patron saint's day of the Ladies' Auxiliary in Chicago last week.

One of the largest gatherings of Hibernians ever seen in Connecticut assembled at Ansonia last Sunday to witness the joint installation of Divisions 1 and 3.

The Ancient Order and Ladies' Auxiliary in New Orleans presented Most Rev. Archbishop Blenk with the sum of \$100 for the benefit of the storm relief fund.

Upon all sides are heard expressions of approval of the programme mapped out by the County Board for the celebration in honor of St. Patrick's day.

The meeting of Division 2 next Friday night will be an important one, as it is hoped to have County President Welsh and a number of others present as visitors.

Martin Sheehan, the good-natured Vice President of Division 3, is doing some earnest work for the order. When it comes to securing new members Martin is always in the lead.

Officers of Division 3 are receiving hearty commendation for the change of time and place of meeting, and prediction is made that a large increase in membership will soon take place.

Division 4 meets Monday night and a big attendance is looked for. An important report to be submitted will deal with the manner in which the order will honor the feast of St. Patrick.

State Treasurer Kidwell, of Washington, Ind., is a good example of the practical worker. During the past months he has organized several divisions in the southern part of the State.

Two orchestras in addition to a genuine Irish pipe furnished the music for the twenty-third annual reception of Division 27 of Jersey City, which had an attendance of nearly 1,000 people.

Division 1 will initiate a class next Tuesday night, and special notice has been sent out requesting the presence of every member on that occasion. Those who proposed candidates should escort them to this meeting.

Terre Haute divisions are planning to make the Indiana State convention in September a big success. Terre Haute Hibernians never do things by halves, and every delegate looks forward to a gala time "on the banks of the Wabash."

Indianapolis divisions expect to have a great St. Patrick's day celebration this year. The eight divisions of the city are represented on the arrangements committee, and John Carroll has been named for Marshal of the parade.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of Chicago celebrated St. Brigid's day with a banquet. The principal speaker was the Rev. Dr. Francis C. Kelley, President of the Catholic Church Extension Society. Mrs. Mary F. McWhorter was toastmistress.

PROMOTED TO CAPTAINCY.

William Gardner, one of the most popular firemen in Louisville, has been made Captain of the No. 19 Engine Company. Capt. Gardner is busy receiving congratulations on his appointment.

GROWING IN INDIANA.

Branch 757, Catholic Knights of America, of Brookville, Ind., had a gala day last Sunday, when twenty new members received certificates and were admitted into the order. Prominent members from Cincinnati and other places were present, and a large number enjoyed the banquet that followed the initiation.

ASSISTANT TO ARCHBISHOP.

The Rev. John J. Lawler, for a number of years pastor of St. Paul's Cathedral at St. Paul, Minn., has been appointed Auxiliary Bishop of the archdiocese of St. Paul by Pope Pius X. Notice of the appointment was received by Archbishop Ireland last Saturday. The Rev. Father Lawler will act as assistant to Archbishop Ireland, but later may be given one of the new dioceses to be soon created.

FACT TO BEAR IN MIND.

Do you ever stop to reflect when you are asked for aims by an unfortunate fellow-being that but for the special favor of God you might be in his place? Always bear in mind the fact that no human being is fireproof, and that we all would fall to the social level of the ancient pagans but for the uplifting hand of our Creator. Probably if more of us realized this important fact we would not strut about officially.

MOON LORE.

A single halo around the moon indicates a storm; a double halo means boisterous weather. If the moon be bright and clear when three days old fine weather is promised. A clear moon means rain. If the moon changes with the wind in the east then shall we have bad weather. If the moon looks low, warm weather is promised. When the moon is low in the daytime then we may expect cool days. If the new moon appears with its points upward, the month will be dry; if the points are downward, more or less rain may be expected during the next three days. When the points of the crescent of the new moon are very clearly visible, frost may be looked for. The new moon on her back always portends wet weather.

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NECESSARY.

CHANGES ACCORDING TO NATIONS

IRELAND.

Record of the Most Important of
the Recent Events Culled
From Exchanges.

The Belfast Corporation has elected Councillor James McMordie to be Lord Mayor of the city for 1910.

For the third time James McCourt becomes Chairman of the Dundalk Urban Council, being elected without opposition.

Francis Tierney has been warmly congratulated upon his re-election to the Chairmanship of the Monaghan Urban Council.

James Murray has been elected Chairman of the Cooteshill Urban Council, succeeding James Coyle, outgoing member.

Councillors P. W. Kenny and John Higgins, outgoing candidates for the Center ward, Waterford, were returned unopposed.

The Roscommon Guardians have co-opted G. D. Tully, son of Mr. William Tully, J. P., owner of the Roscommon Journal, to fill a vacancy on the Board and Rural Council.

The large attendance at the funeral of the late Mrs. Anne Murray at Belleek, County Fermanagh, was an eloquent tribute to the respect in which she was held by all classes.

When white gloves were presented to Judge Lay Smith at the Newcastle West Quarter Sessions he expressed pleasure that the city and county of Limerick were so free from crime.

The dead body of a farmer, Michael Horan, aged fifty, was found on the roadside near his dwelling at Colnagower, near Birr. He was an experienced cattle dealer and contractor.

Sir John B. Johnston, re-elected Chairman of the Derry Harbor Board, noting recent improvements and prospects, intimated that in the near future the shipyard would be restarted.

The following have been elected Town Commissioners for Fethard, having respectively secured the highest number of votes: Messrs. Patrick McCarthy, Patrick Kendrik, William Doheny and Patrick Glaron.

A County Louth farmer named James McGrath, of Arturrybeg, near Carlingford, was arrested and remanded on bail on a charge of having set fire to a rick of hay, the property of James Long, of Balting. Coroner Sellers and a jury returned a verdict of death from apoplexy at the inquest over the remains of Patrick Morgan, a well-known Dundalk grocer, who expired suddenly at his home on Bridge street.

A very pretty wedding took place in St. Columbkille's church at Carrickmore, the contracting parties being Patrick Campbell, of Tydavnet, and Miss Mary Rafferty, of Carrickmore. On the departure of the happy couple fog signals were exploded in their honor.

An interesting link with the old-time history of Carrickmacross has been sundered by the death of Patrick Magee, who was close to ninety years of age and was the last surviving employee of the old distillery which flourished under the Garlan family many years ago.

A contemptible outrage was committed recently in Kiltern cemetery, County Dublin, when some parties at present untraced smashed four crosses over tombs in the churchyard. Portions of them, Celtic in design, were recovered by the police in a pond some distance away. The desecration has caused great indignation and a reward of \$1,000 is offered for the conviction of the persons concerned.

The Dundalk Democrat announces the death of the Earl of Roden (William Henry Jocelyn, sixth bearer of the title), at his Irish seat at Bryansford, County Down. The earldom of Roden (peerage of Ireland) was created in the seventeenth century, and the first bearer of the title was Robert Jocelyn, Lord Chancellor of Ireland, who was created Baron in 1743 and Viscount in 1797. The deceased, who was unmarried, had been an invalid for some time past, and had resided continuously in Ireland.

FOR COLORED MEN.

The Knights of Peter Claver, a fraternal organization for colored men, has been organized by the Rev. Conrad Hebescher, of Mobile, Ala., and it is expected to do much good throughout the South.

CAPT. MCCRATHY.

Dennis McCarthy has been appointed Captain of Police at Lexington. He succeeds Capt. J. C. Ford, who resigned on account of ill health. Capt. McCarthy has made an efficient patrolman and his promotion is deserved.

CANONIZING JOAN OF ARC.

It has been cabled from Rome to the daily papers that the Congregation of Rites has approved the text for the office and mass of Blessed Joan of Arc, whose feast is to be celebrated on the first Sunday after Ascension day. It is probable that her cause for canonization will be introduced in April. The process of canonization can not last less than two years.

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ARE WORTHY OF CONSIDERATION

The Very Rev. Francis C. Kelley, D. D., LL. D., editor of Extension, a monthly magazine published in the interests of the Catholic Church Extension Society, in the January number offers some very pertinent ideas on the subject of Catholic writers and Catholic readers. The Rev. D. Kelley does not pose as an editor. He does not tell what ought to happen, but chronicles what is happening. He shows that books published by Catholic authors cost more than those published by non-Catholics. Then he adds:

There are over fifteen million Catholics in the United States. In other words, Catholics constitute one-fifth of the entire population. Consequently the same proportion ought to hold good as regards purchasers of books; but it doesn't. The difference is decidedly in favor of the secular publisher. And what is the reason? Simply this: The publisher of secular books advertises, the Catholic publisher doesn't. That's the difference. Secular publishers spend vast sums of money advertising their wares. If a Catholic publisher advertises at all, it is only semi-occasionally and in a limited, spasmodic, unaggressive, unscientific way. He looks upon money spent for publicity as a waste of a useful commodity, and so he'll not take a chance. Examine your Catholic weekly paper or Catholic magazine. Will you find the advertisement of a single Catholic publisher? Will you find a single new Catholic book exploited? The only kind of publicity the Catholic publishers seem to crave is the kind that doesn't cost them anything—the book review which they get in exchange for a complimentary copy of the work published. If the Catholic weeklies and monthlies would refuse to publish columns and pages of book reviews gratis, as they do at present, the Catholic publishers would be driven to the necessity of buying space, which is as it should be.

If the secular publisher would rely on the book reviews only, they would have to get out of business. Knowing this, they spend thousands upon thousands of dollars to let the world know that they have a new book or author. The Catholic publisher, however, will not even spend a few hundred dollars. This condition, in a general way, is at the bottom of the cry that Catholic literature doesn't pay; and it will not pay until Catholic publishers begin to wake up. If the Catholic publisher laments that his sales are not large and that whatever profits he reaps from his business must come out of the exorbitant price he charges, I point out the remedy—which is to advertise. If he advertises judiciously and intelligently, and puts forth the right kind of books, he will meet with the same measure of success as the secular publisher.

As the business now stands, everything is in favor of the Catholic publisher—nothing in favor of the author. And the reader who refuses to pay the exorbitant price demanded is scolded as unneighborly and unappraciatative. All of which is wrong.

Father Kelly has stirred Catholic sentiment to good results before. It is to be hoped that his latest ebullition will stir it again. But while he is chronicling events in the United States, there comes another cry from the antipodes. Not long ago the Catholics of Australia held a congress at Sydney, South Australia. One of the principal and most forceful speakers was the Archbishop of Hobart, Tasmania. He said in part: "Don't expect Catholic editors to be infallible; they don't profess to be so. Treat them with forbearance. Don't expect to get a Catholic paper for half what it costs to bring it out. Do what you possibly can in your neighborhood to be an agent for the Catholic papers."

ST. BRIGID'S FEAST.

Members of St. Brigid's parish turned out in large numbers last Sunday to celebrate the feast of the patron saint of the church. At the last mass, 10 o'clock, the Rev. Father H. W. Jansen was celebrant, and the music rendered by the choir was of a high order. In the evening at 7:30 o'clock the panegyric of St. Brigid was preached by the Rev. Father C. P. Raffo. Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament concluded the ceremonies.

WELCOME VISITOR.

H. B. Masterson, the popular and wideawake Marshal of New Hope, was in the city the first of the week, the guest of H. E. Browne and Edward J. O'Hearn and other friends. While here he acquired information that will prove valuable in the performance of his duties.

NEW ALBANY GROCER DEAD.

New Albany mourns the loss of August Oetken, Sr., who died at his residence, 213 East Market street, on Monday evening. He had been ill only a short time. His venerable wife died in October. Mr. Oetken was born in Oldenburg, Germany, seventy-four years ago, but had spent forty-three years in New Albany, and during the greater part of that time was engaged in the grocery business. Three sons, William, August and John Oetken, and two daughters, Mrs. Charles Brod, of

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